

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Revenue (DM) Department – Natural Calamity - Unprecedented extreme Heavy rains during August / September, 2024 due to depression in Bay of Bengal – Declaration of certain Districts as “ Heavy rains / Flood affected Districts” – Notification – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (DISASTER MANAGEMENT.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 12

Dated: 18-09-2024

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.11, Revenue(DM.I) Department, dated 13.09.2024
2. From the District Collectors, Vizianagaram, ASR, Kakinada, Eluru, West Godavari, Krishna, Guntur, Bapatla and Palnadu, Minutes of the Special DCC Meetings.

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ORDER:

The State of Andhra Pradesh faced unprecedented extremely Heavy rain fall during August / September, 2024 due to depression in Bay of Bengal and the most of the districts were fully affected by heavy to very heavy rains/ Floods. The unprecedented historic rainfall on 30th and 31st August, 2024 has far exceeded the season's normal rainfall at many places in the State. Due to heavy rains and flooding of Krishna River, Munneru and Budameru channels and Godavari River and local channels, many districts of the State have been devastated and inundated throwing the normal life out of gear.

2. The Government have taken all preparatory and precautionary steps to face the challenge. Heavy rains/floods caused loss of human lives, cattle and also heavy damages to houses, huts, agricultural / horticultural crops, public infrastructure like roads, bridges, power, water supply, Handlooms, Fisheries etc. Lakhs of people have been affected due to Heavy Rains / floods and inundation in their habitations resulting in loss of houses, clothing and utensils and affecting their lively hood. Many poor and daily wage earners have lost their livelihood completely. There has been extensive damage to micro, small and tiny industrial units which are in thousands in the affected areas.

3. The District Collectors, Vizianagaram, ASR, Kakinada, Eluru, West Godavari, Krishna, Guntur, Bapatla and Palnadu have expressed their views in the Special District Consultative Committee (DCC) meetings on heavy rains/floods. They have stated that due to recent heavy rains /floods during August/September, 2024 caused significant destruction. Major portions of the districts have been affected by water logging. In the Special DCC meetings, the Committees resolved that due to heavy loss and damage to public private properties and due to loss of damage economic assets that the districts may be declared as Disaster affected districts under Natural Calamity.

4. Government after careful examination hereby declare the Vizianagaram, ASR, Kakinada, Eluru, West Godavari, Krishna, Guntur, Bapatla and Palnadu Districts as “Heavy rains / Flood affected Districts” due to unprecedented extremely Heavy rains / Floods occurred during August / September, 2024.

5. The Commissioner & Director of Printing, Stationery and Stores, Purchase (Printing wing) Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada shall publish the following Notification in the Extraordinary issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette on 18.09.2024.

NOTIFICATION

The unprecedented historic rainfall during August / September, 2024 due to depression in Bay of Bengal, has far exceeded the season's normal rainfall in the State and on 30th & 31st August, it has exceeded even annual rainfall for the season in a single day in several parts of the State. Due to heavy to very heavy rains and consequent flooding of Krishna river, Munneru and Budameru channels and Godavari River and local channels many parts of the State have been devastated and inundated throwing the normal life out of gear. The extreme heavy rains/ flooding caused loss of human lives, cattle, damages to huts/ houses, agriculture/ horticulture crops, public/ private infrastructure and industrial units, etc., and worstly affected the lively hood of many people in the State.

In these circumstances, Government hereby notify the following Districts as "Heavy rains / Flood affect Districts" for this calamity.

1. Vizianagaram,
2. ASR,
3. Kakinada
4. Eluru
5. West Godavari
6. Krishna
7. Guntur
8. Bapatla
9. Palnadu

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

R P SISODIA

SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (DM)

To

The Commissioner & Director of Printing , Stationery and Stores, Purchase (Printing wing) A.P, Vijayawada [with a request to ensure that the notification is published in the Extraordinary issue of A.P. Gazette and furnished 100 copies to this Dept]

The District Collectors, Vizianagaram, ASR, Kakinada, Eluru, West Godavari, Krishna , Guntur, Bapatla and Palnadu Districts

The Managing Director, APSDMA, Tadepalli.

The Commissioner I&PR, Vijayawada with a request to issue press note to Print and Electronic media.

All the Secretaries / HODs.

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The PS to Prl Secy to Hon'ble CM.

The P.S. to Minister (Home &DM), A.P., A.P Secretariat.

The PS to Chief Secretary, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, A.P Secretariat.

The PS to Special Chief Secretary, Revenue (DM) Dept., A.P. Secretariat.

The PS to Secretary to Finance Department, AP Secretariat.

The Accountant General, A.P. Vijayawada.

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